



**OFFICE OF THE  
ASSAM INFORMATION COMMISSION  
JONAKEE COMPLEX, PANJABARI, GUWAHATI-781 037**

Case No. : **KP(R) 15/2014**  
Complainant/ appellant : **Srimati Prabha Choudhury**  
Respondent : **M.D, ASTC.**  
Date of hearing : **14-06-2016**  
Complaint/ Second : **Shri H.S. Das, IAS ( Retd)**  
appeal heard by **Chief Information Commissioner, Assam**

**O R D E R**

The petitioner Srimati Prabha Choudhury is present accompanied by Sri Santosh Kr. Choudhury. The public authority is represented by (1) Sri Amalendu Ghosh, Chief Engineer (A&T) & SPIO, Office of the Managing Director, ASTC, (2) Sri Nirmal Ch. Kakoti, L&C Officer, of the same office.

The second appeal petition dated 24-3-2014 is taken up for hearing in presence of both the parties.

From perusal of the case records it is seen that the petitioner Srimati Prabha Choudhury filed an RTI petition dated 14-6-2013 before the Commissioner of Transport, Assam, which was forwarded to the M.D, ASTC vide letter dated 1st. March, 2014. There is nothing in the case records to show that the SPIO of the office of M.D, ASTC has since furnished the sought for information to the petitioner. The petitioner also deposed that they have not received any information so far.

From perusal of the RTI petition dated 18-6-2013 it is seen that the petitioner wanted certain informations about the vehicles of ASTC or vehicles under ASTC operation allowed to operate from Machkhowa station. The RTI petition was lacking in clarity on some points .

In course of deposition before this Commission it transpired that the petitioner wanted to have the following informations :-

- (a) **The list of commercial passenger vehicles of ASTC or under ASTC operation which were allowed to operate from Machkhowa station, Guwahati;**
- (b) **Whether all such vehicles allowed to operate had valid permits issued by RTA/STA;**
- (c) **Rules and regulations and standard operating procedure regarding time allowed to these vehicles for parking/ halting at Machkhowa station;.**
- (d) **The list of applications received by M.D, ASTC from private commercial vehicle owners to operate from Machkhowa station, list of applications forwarded by M.D, ASTC to Commissioner, Transport and list of such applications approved by the Commissioner, Transport, covering a period of 1 (one) year prior to the date of RTI application.**

This Commission directs the SPIO of the office of M.D , ASTC to allow the petitioner to inspect the relevant records and documents, during office hours, on any working day, within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order and allow him to take notes and also photo copies of documents sought for by him free of cost up to 50 pages and thereafter on payment of Rs. 2/- for every additional page of photo copy.

With the above order the second appeal petition dated 24-3-2014 is disposed of.

**Sd/-  
(H. S. Das)  
Chief Information Commissioner, Assam  
Panjabari, Guwahati**

**Authenticated true copy.**

**Sd/-  
Registrar  
Assam Information Commission**

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**Dtd. 14-6-2016**

1. Shri Amalendu Ghosh, Chief Engineer (A&T) & SPIO, Office of the Managing Director, ASTC for information and necessary action.
2. Smti Srimati Prabha Choudhury , P.O –Bijohnagar, Kamrup, Assam for information..
3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
5. Office File
6. Order Book.

**Registrar  
Assam Information Commission**